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NATIONAL MOUTH HYGIENE ASSOCIATION

IN CO-OPERATION WITH

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II

THE OBJECTS OF THIS CONGRESS ARE:

1. To bring together men and women interested in the health of school children.
2. To organize a program of papers and discussions covering the field of school hygiene.
3. To assemble a scientific exhibit representing the best that is being done in school hygiene.
4. To secure a commercial exhibit of practical and educational value to school people.
5. To publish the proceedings of this Congress and distribute them to each member.

III

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IV

ORGANIZATION PLAN FOR CO-OPERATION BETWEEN THE NATIONAL MOUTH HYGIENE ASSOCIATION AND THE FOURTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON SCHOOL HYGIENE

W. G. EBERSOLE, M. D., D. D. S.

The dental profession of the world has been honored by an invitation from Dr. Thomas A. Storey, Secretary-General of the Fourth International Congress on School Hygiene, which meets in Buffalo, August 25-30, 1913, to participate in the most elaborate effort that has yet been made toward placing School Hygiene before the world in its true relation to the health, strength, and working efficiency of the human race.

This is one of the most important opportunities that has come to the dental profession in its history for the purpose of presenting the various phases of Mouth Hygiene in their true relation to Hygiene in general.

At this meeting will be assembled the largest number of people that have ever gathered in this country for the purpose of considering those questions which deal with School Hygiene. Not only the leading educators and school officials of this country, but of the world, will be assembled on this occasion.

This means that every State in the Union will be represented by educational people and it is, therefore, highly important that every section of the country that is doing anything along the Mouth Hygiene line be represented in connection with the Scientific Exhibit, dealing with the various phases of School Hygiene.

A large amount of space has been set aside to be devoted exclusively to the exhibition of material dealing with the various phases of Mouth Hygiene. It behooves every dentist that is

interested in the Mouth Hygiene movement to see that his state, city or town has some sort of a display in connection with this work.

The organization of the Mouth Hygiene Literary and Scientific Exhibit part of the program has been placed in the charge of the writer of this article. An extensive literary program has been practically completed for that occasion.

That the Mouth Hygiene Exhibit may be in keeping with the importance that Mouth Hygiene bears to School Hygiene in general, I am extending an invitation to the Oral Hygiene Committee of every Dental Organization of the country to participate in this exhibit. I am making an urgent appeal to each committee to see that its section of the country is represented by some sort of exhibit, setting forth either what they are doing or planning to do in that section.

Where a committee has nothing else to offer, would suggest that they prepare a chart or a large card, preferably black background, with lettering and framed in a black frame about an inch in width, the lettering on this card to be large enough to be read at a distance of twenty-five or thirty feet.

In organizing this work I am asking the Oral or Mouth Hygiene committees of the State societies to assume responsibility for the State exhibit, and requesting all other dental organizations to co-operate with the State committee in making a State exhibit, but have each individual committee present its exhibit, as a distinctive feature, the State exhibits to become part of the National exhibit, but retaining its individuality. The State exhibits will be arranged in alphabetical order, so that the guests from any State will have no difficulty in ascertaining what is being done in that particular State.

The chairmen of the various organizations constitute a National committee, this committee to include the Oral Hygiene committee of the National Dental Association and the chairman of the various State committees appointed by the National Mouth Hygiene Association. The chairman of the National Dental Association's committee to be the executive officer of the National committee.

The National Mouth Hygiene Association has agreed to co-operate with the Congress to the extent of making its annual literary program a part of the Congress' literary program and is organizing its membership in the various states and cities along the same lines as suggested for the organized dental profession above.

In appointing its committees on exhibits it has followed out the policy of appointing those of its members who are known to be members of state or local Oral or Mouth Hygiene committees as its representatives. The National Mouth Hygiene Association will also appoint one of its representatives to co-operate with Dr. Gram, of Buffalo, in arranging for exhibits.

We wish to call the attention of the profession to the fact that this is a tremendous undertaking on the part of the writer to organize this work along the lines suggested, and earnestly solicit the co-operation of every member of the dental profession.

I do not have at my command the names of the committeemen of the various dental societies of the country, but have used the Dental journals as a means of notifying these committees of the part that they are expected to take in this work, requesting that they communicate with me at once indicating their willingness to co-operate and the style of the exhibit that they expect to make.

I wish to say to the Oral Hygiene committees that if they are contemplating any work along the Mouth Hygiene lines, they should have something in connection with the exhibit to indicate what they are doing or what they contemplate doing, in order that the educational people from their sections of the country may find that they have a live committee in existence.

We would like to suggest to the State committees that they secure a large map of the State and indicate by means of various colored tacks the places and kinds of work that are being done.

I wish to impress upon the various State committees the importance of having their Mouth Hygiene exhibit a part of the National Exhibit, because of the fact that those in charge

of the work expect to make a presentation of Mouth Hygiene part of the program which will be impressive, that every person who attends the Congress will be deeply interested in the Mouth Hygiene work. To have the exhibits split up and made part of the general hygiene exhibit would do much to lessen the impressiveness of the Mouth Hygiene Exhibit.

All exhibits should be marked plainly and shipped to the following address, charges prepaid: Dr. Franklin C. Gram, Chief, Bureau of Vital Statistics, Buffalo, N. Y.

V

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VII

INFORMATION

Organizing committees have been formed in thirty-three foreign countries and in forty-five states in this country.

Committees are being appointed in the interest of the Congress by the Women's Clubs of America.

The Department of State has invited all foreign governments with which we have diplomatic relations to send delegates.

The Executive Committee has issued invitations to appoint delegates to the governors of all states; the presidents of all our colleges and universities; the mayors of a thousand cities; all our State Departments of Education and all our State Departments of Health; the Departments of Education and to the Departments of Health in a thousand cities; and to the officials of a large number of our national educational, medical, dental, scientific, and other public-spirited associations.

The program of papers for this Congress is now made up of about three hundred papers which are contributed from all parts of the world.

The exhibit is being formed of material illustrating the status and progress of school hygiene and comes from a wide international field.

The Citizens' Committee of Buffalo has planned an extensive and attractive program of entertainment.

Further information may be secured through the correspondence with the Secretary-General.

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RULES GOVERNING THE FOURTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON SCHOOL HYGIENE *

1. The Fourth International Congress on School Hygiene will take place in Buffalo, New York, U. S. A., August 25-30, inclusive, 1913. Its object shall be the study of all questions relating to school hygiene.

2. Its officials and governing committee shall be: a President, two Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer-General, a Secretary-General, and an Executive Committee who shall have authority over the entire Congress.

3. The Congress will include: honorary officials, ordinary members and associate members.

4. The honorary officials shall be elected by the Executive Committee. All persons interested in school hygiene may join as ordinary members of the Congress. Applications for membership should be accompanied by a postal order, made out to the Treasurer, for the sum of $5.00 in the United States, 25 francs in the Latin Union, 20 marks in Germany, 1 pound sterling in England, and for other countries a sum representing the full equivalent of $5.00.

5. A collective subscription will be allowed for general or municipal bodies, educational institutions or societies and associations. This collective subscription shall give the right of the body represented to send a single delegate who will enjoy all the rights and privileges of an ordinary member.

6. Associate members shall be admitted at half rate ($2.50), with title of associate. The wives and children of ordinary members shall be eligible to associate membership. Associate members shall be entitled to all privileges of regular members, but they may receive no publications nor vote at meetings.

* NOTE:—As adopted by the Executive Committee of the National Organizing Committee, September 24, 25, and 26, 1912.

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